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THE EVENING TELEGRAPH, from its original establishment, has been in the receipt of telegraphic news from the New York Associated Press, which consists of the Tribune, Times, Herald, World, Sun, Journal of Commerce, Evening Post, Commercial Advertiser, and Evening Express. The success which has attended our enterprise is, in itself, a sufficient evidence of the freshness, fullness, and reliability of the news which we have received from this source.

The earliest regular edition of THE EVENING TELEGRAPH goes to press at 1 1/2 o'clock, and the subsequent regular editions at 2 1/2, 3 1/2, and 4 1/2. Whenever there is important news of the complications in Europe, extra editions will be issued after this hour, and before the regular time for the early edition.

THAT PETITION.

SEVERAL gentlemen are now on their way to Harrisburg with a petition said to contain 20,000 signatures, asking for the repeal of the law creating the Building Commission. If this petition is acceded to, the whole controversy with regard to the location of the public buildings will be reopened and the popular verdict last October will be not valid in a most unjustifiable manner.

Admitting them all to be genuine, however, it should be remembered that 31,625 voters of the city of Philadelphia decided that Penn Square was the proper location for the public buildings, in opposition to 32,825 advocates for another site. The anti-Penn Squareites have not been able to obtain to their petitions as many names as they had voters at the October election; and under these circumstances it is impossible to see that the Legislature can, with any propriety, give them a hearing.

THE ARCH-TRAITOR DOASTING OF HIS TREASON.

A DISTINGUISHED preacher, belonging to a very influential, powerful, and exemplary Christian sect, once said, in deploring the bitter controversies that arose in its periodical Church councils, that there was always rejoicing in hell when such assemblages convened. The late distractions, dissensions, and threatened defeat of the Republican party have had a similar effect upon the unholy foes of popular government, and especially upon the petticoated refugee whose heart, though black with crime, has long been trembling with cowardice.

THE BORDER RAID CLAIMS. THE inhabitants of the border counties who suffered by the Rebel raids into Pennsylvania are pushing their claims for compensation before the Legislature. The counsel for the claimants are urging that the State shall settle with them, and that remuneration shall then be demanded from the United States.

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THE Sudden changes of temperature, together with the searching winds which are now so common, are causing severe colds to prevail everywhere, and laying the foundations for many cases of inflammation of the Lungs, Pleurisy, Asthma, and other Lung diseases.

THE claims of the border county sufferers were presented for adjudication to a commission appointed by the Governor in 1868. They numbered over four thousand in the aggregate, the amounts claimed and allowed in each county by the commission being as follows:—

Table with 3 columns: County, Claimed, Allowed. Rows include Perry, Bedford, Fulton, Cumberland, Adams, York, Franklin, and Total.

Making a grand total of \$2,999,944 including the balances still due under the adjudications made in pursuance of the acts of 1866 and 1868. Of the total amount claimed under the act of 1868, the alleged damages by the Rebels reached \$1,649,087, while that inflicted by the Union troops was placed at \$1,719,865 only.

ONE of the features of the abstract of the report of the commissioners sent to Dominica is especially noticeable. It is the statement that while the national debt of Dominica is, in round numbers, \$1,400,000, nearly half this sum, or \$600,000, consists of claims for unpaid salaries of Dominican officials.

A CORRESPONDENT of the New York Tribune, writing from Mississippi, complains that the Governor elected by the Republican party in that State has betrayed his political friends, and acted in the interest of the Conservatives or Democracy.

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